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 Serial No.: 10/082,779 ) Customer No.: 00919  
 Filed: February 25, 2002 ) Group Art Unit: 3653  
 Confirmation No.: 4414 ) Examiner: Butler, M. E.

Title: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INSERTING CHECKS  
 INTO A BANK STATEMENT MAIL PIECE**

**OFFICIAL**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

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Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of time for a period of one month to respond to the Office Action mailed on March 24, 2004.

A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed herewith.

The fee for a one month extension of time is \$110.00. Please charge this fee and any additional extension fee required or credit any excess fee paid to Deposit Account Number 16-1885. A duplicate copy of this petition is attached.

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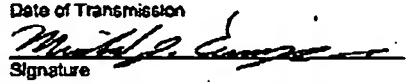
  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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In response to the Office Action of April 7, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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amended claims and the rejected claims are believed to place this application in condition for allowance, which action is respectfully requested

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